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CEDAR STREET, SOUTH OF
RAILROAD,
ABILENE, KANSAS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I respectfully solicit your support for the office of County Commissioner for the second district, for which I am a candidate, subject to the voters at the November election.
SAMUEL BRICKER.

I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for County Clerk to be voted for at the November election.
FRED PIERCE.

I wish to announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Dickinson County, subject to the wishes of my many friends.
MRS. MARY E. LEMING,
Jefferson Twp.

Have your prescriptions compounded at John M. Gleissner's Drug Store, east side of Broadway, cor. 3d street. 39-1y

LOCAL AND OTHERWISE.

Flour in bulk at W. H. Elliott's.

Beware of fraudulent tickets.

Next Tuesday is election day. Don't forget it?

Read every name on your ticket before voting.

All that Miller asks his opponents to do is to "tell the truth."

Bailed Hay at W. H. Elliott's, opposite post office, 3d street.

Communion services at Grace Chapel next Sunday morning.

Cooper and Ball have engaged berths for a trip up "salt river."

Boardman's elegant residence on 3d street, in West Abilene, is nearly completed.

Next Wednesday morning Brillhart and Miller will be "as happy as a big sun flower."

Talk about "unkissed kisses," they don't produce half the agony that "unsneezed sneezes" do.

The present fine weather is very favorable for building, "make hay while the sun shines."

Look here! Wanted 1000 dozen eggs at Merrifield's store, on Cedar st. 15c per dozen. 15-2w.

Last Saturday afternoon the southern part of the county was visited by one of the severest rain storms of the season.

J. B. Beal was in town the first of the week. He says real estate is on the boom in the neighborhood of Grainfield.

H. G. Foster and wife, of Marshall county, Ill., are visiting their cousin, W. M. Sherwood, Esq., of Newbern township.

The Scholars of the Episcopal Sunday School, meet in the church, on Saturday afternoon at half past three, to practice singing.

Next Wednesday morning you will see Brillhart and Miller rejoicing in the sunlight of a grand victory. For they will be "Elies," you bet.

J. S. Smith, one of the substantial young men in this vicinity returned Friday morning from a pleasant visit with old friends in Elkhart, Ind.

Wm. Perkins has proven himself well qualified to fill the office of coroner, and if elected the people can rest assured he will be faithful to his trust.

It is given up that M. V. Brillhart will get more votes than any other man on the track for Treasurer of Dickinson county on the 3d of next month.—Herington Tribune.

Mr. Dan'l Kaufman, of Bennington, Kas., gave the REFLECTOR a pleasant call last Friday and before leaving dropped one dollar and fifty cents into our subscription box.

The New York World, the leading democratic paper of the United States, and the REFLECTOR for one year for the small sum of \$2.20. Come in and subscribe. Don't delay.

The Herington Tribune of last week says that Will Lowe was "held up" by road agents a half mile west of that town Tuesday night and relieved of \$2.50 in cash and a check for \$80.00.

The brick work on the new block, corner of Spruce and Cedar street is nearly completed. The third story will be used by the Masonic fraternity, making them one of the most complete halls in the state.

A man by the name of Henzie was arrested at Enterprise last Monday charged with stealing two loads of wheat and two loads of wood. In default of \$1,000 bail Henzie was committed to jail.

Contractor Sullivan, having general charge of the grading on the T. & S. & W., was arrested on the charge of committing the offense of assault and battery on one John Ryan. It is a District Court case.

Subject at the Christian church next Sunday at eleven, "The Amen," and in the evening "Pharaoh's Four Offers to Compromise with Moses." Meeting also at 3:00 p. m. for baptism, preceded by a lecture on "How to Read the Bible."

Our good old democratic friend, Jacob Easter, was in to see us last week and contributed several silver wheels for the REFLECTOR to visit regularly J. N. Cover, Masontown, Penn., and John W. Golden, Connelville, Penn.

C. Shroder, of Banner township, while on his way home last Saturday was taken suddenly ill. Fortunately he was near Mr. W. M. Sherwood's residence where he was taken in, and Mr. S. and his kind hearted wife did all they could to relieve his sufferings. He left for home Monday morning feeling much better.

B. H. D'HUY, Ph. G.
Opposite Depot.

The New York World, the leading democratic paper of the United States, and the REFLECTOR for one year for the small sum of \$2.20. Come in and subscribe. Don't delay.

I sell Hoffman's flour, Stoddard & Flenner's flour, Brokville flour, John's & Rice flour, and the only place in the city to get Rye Flour is at my store on 3d st., opposite post office.
W. H. ELLIOTT.

Mr. M. H. Curtis, editor of the Chapman Star, gave the REFLECTOR a pleasant call last Saturday. Although running a republican paper he had encouraged words for Mr. Erwin, the democratic candidate for commissioner of the second district.

Never be afraid of the results of doing right. Think this sentence over three times a day until the morning of election; and, the REFLECTOR's word for it, your vote will be for Brillhart, Miller and the democratic ticket.

On next Wednesday morning you will not see Cooper and Ball rushing through the streets grinning from ear to ear for they will have to step cautiously to keep from stepping on their under lip—it will be hanging low you know.

Ex-commissioner, Alfred Pray, of Banner township, is marketing as fine apples as any orchard in the state can produce. He has sold sixteen hundred bushels this season, with several hundred left. It seems but a short time ago when he planted his orchard. Great is Kansas.

The Gazette says "the animals seem to be stirred up to-day. We surmise that something has dropped in the camp unexpectedly." The infamy of the vile conspirators will be exposed. Then about the time the election returns come in we think the Gazette man will hear something "drop" that he will not chuckle over so much.

A strong fight is being made for the office of treasurer but it is conceded by all that M. V. Brillhart will get there. He is a thorough gentleman, competent and having a clean record in all of his official business with the people of this county is a good and strong reason why he will be elected on the 3d of November.

All this talk by a few politicians in Abilene that meetings must be held throughout the county and speakers sent out to tell the people how to vote, is an insult to the intelligent electors of Dickinson county. This is an election for local offices and in our opinion the people are capable of judging for themselves, at least we are willing to trust them.

The threat was made on the fair grounds that J. J. Miller should be defeated for the great offense he committed in driving the gamblers from the grounds. Rumor says the hundred horses to be used for this purpose will spread broadcast over the county the false accusations gotten up by a few political roughs in Abilene. A vile slander conceived in sin and brought forth in iniquity.

The malicious prosecution against Jeff Miller will not win with the thinking and sensible men of the county. Jeff's character and his manly stand in clearing out the gambling dens at the late fair places him high in the estimation of the voters of the county and they will go to the polls and vote for him regardless of all blackmail and malicious prosecution, brought about only for political purposes.

The race for Sheriff will be won by J. J. Miller. He has only had the office one term, has made a good officer, is competent and the voters of Dickinson county will not ignore the old time custom of giving a good officer a second term. He has treated all who have had business with him in a courteous manner and when the votes are counted on Nov. 3d, they will show that Miller is elected sheriff by a good big majority.

Will Easter and wife, who have been living near Hays City since last spring, where they own a fine farm, came down from there a few weeks ago to gather his corn crop in this county, and while attending to that crop, by way of a change, they gathered in last Sunday a fine bouncing boy. While here they are stopping with Mrs. Easter's father, Peter Snider, of Newbern township. Will, we congratulate you.

Peck's Star, published at Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is the most humorous paper in America to-day. Geo. W. Peck, its editor and proprietor, stands without an equal as a humorist. He believes in making people happy, and no one can be otherwise who reads his most excellent paper. Our readers are invited to read the prospectus of Peck's Star, in another column. Sample copies mailed free to any address.

The central committee of the Greenbackers held a meeting in this city last Saturday afternoon and decided to have tickets printed and make an active canvass for their nominees. They placed on their ticket Nat Armstrong, of Jefferson tp., as their representative of the 75th district. Nat is a fine young man, well qualified, and if elected would certainly fill the office with honor and credit, not only to himself but to his district.

Voters of the 75th legislative district you know if Leonard Swigart makes any promises to you in regard to any position he may take, if elected as member of the legislature, that he will do just what he agrees to. He is no "dodger" but will "hew to the line" let the chips fall where they may. His honesty and integrity have never been questioned, and there are men in this county who have known him since his boyhood days; they will support him regardless of party.

Prof. Bagley's lecture last Monday evening on "Life among the Cannibals," was intensely interesting and highly appreciated by the audience which should have been larger. His graphic descriptions, being an eye witness, illustrated by specimens of shells, rare charms, palm leaves, war clubs, bows and arrows &c., brought from the Feeji Islands, made a deep impression on his hearers, and held them spell bound. We cannot do his lecture justice in this brief notice but hope he will repeat it sometime, and give others the opportunity of hearing something worth hearing.

MARRIED, At the home of the bride's parents, in Thayer, Kansas, Thursday evening, Oct. 29th, 1885, Mr. John Bennett, of Abilene, and Miss Rose B. Howland. Mr. Bennett is one of Abilene's best young men, honored and respected by all and worthy of the fair bride he has won. Miss Howland is a lady in every respect and during the time she has been in our midst has made many friends by her winning ways and noble womanly qualities. They will soon return among us and settle in their cozy home that is waiting them on East Fourth street. Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, you have the good wishes of all Abilene.

J. J. Miller has made an excellent Sheriff. Under the law a man can only be elected Sheriff two terms in succession. Is there any reason offered why he is not entitled to the second term? Can there be any reason why Ball should be elected instead? Voters, this is a county office and it is to your interest to have it filled by one who has proven himself competent. His views and yours on political questions may not be the same but in the dark days of rebellion he was on the side of right and the Union with a father and two brothers by his side; the two brothers are sleeping in southern graves. He is regarded by the Sheriffs who are acquainted with him as an active and vigilant officer. Why not vote for him?

Geo. Rohrer, of the Gazette, claims in his paper to be working for Miss Junken but his talk and actions prove differently. Only last Saturday a reliable farmer was told in his office that the whole Gazette outfit would support Mrs. Leming, and besides George said to the farmer from the Gazette, to prove his sincerity "We have just printed 4000 bills for distribution and I want you to take this roll of them out with you." The bill reads, "Vote for Mrs. Mary E. Leming, the soldier's widow, for Register of Deeds." Now, how do the friends of Miss Junken like this treachery of George's? As a party paper the Gazette is not true to its nominees, therefore it has no room to kick at the republicans who will support Brillhart and Miller.

It is a known fact that the republican bosses of this county have left the principles of prohibition and are now catering to the issue of a license system for the purpose of catching the anti-prohibition vote, but a very cold wave will strike them on the 3d of November which will send them in a distressed and shivering condition to the boat that will be in readiness to take them up "salt river." There will be no respite for them. Already the atmosphere around the iceberg republican candidates is growing colder every day and by next Tuesday it will be so cold that all the wines and liquors in the county will not suffice to thaw out the congealed party of hypocrisy—for we have it from good authority that the candidates on the republican ticket have made pledges to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union that if elected they will do all in their power to enforce the prohibitory law, and pledges to the other side of the question that they will not interfere in regard to the matter. And for this false face we predict that the "cold wave" will certainly strike them hard.

Mr. John Erwin, of Chapman, candidate for commissioner of the 2d district, is certainly the right man named for the place, for no office in the county is of more importance to the people than that of county commissioner, for in his hands rests the management of the business interests of the county, and upon his judgment depends the question of profit and loss. In the selection of Mr. Erwin for this important trust the democrats have been fortunate. The man who manages his own affairs well, is always capable of managing public interests. There is no more level-headed business man in Dickinson county than Mr. Erwin, he has been successful in ever undertaking and built up a name for sterling integrity and capacity that will be envied. Do not fail to vote for John Erwin for commissioner of the 2d district.

C. D. Barnes and W. U. Zahner have purchased the Northcraft drug store. For years it has been regarded as one of the very best drug stores in this part of the state, and has enjoyed a liberal patronage and the confidence of the people. Ever since the death of this honorable and upright man, J. G. Northcraft, Mr. Barnes has had entire supervision of the business, and maintained the high reputation the store had acquired for years. He is so well known to our readers that it seems unnecessary to say that he is obliging, courteous and fully competent to attend to the numerous duties belonging to the profession. As a druggist and pharmacist he ranks with the best, being a member of the State Pharmaceutical Association. Mr. Zahner has been a resident of our city for the last two years and during that time has been engaged in the store of which he is now one of the proprietors. Mr. Z. has made many friends during that time and proven himself a young man of good habits, industrious and energetic. He has had several years experience. That this new firm will do a big business there is no question. Young men of their energy, good reputation and known to thoroughly understand the important business of compounding drugs are bound to be successful.

Last week the firm of Hazlett & Co. was dissolved by mutual consent and E. E. Hazlett is now the sole proprietor and owner. This is one of the oldest business houses in the city. In the early days of Abilene, Harry Hazlett ran what was called the Drover's Supply Store on First or what was then known as Texas street; from there he moved to the corner of Cedar and A street, and finding this place too small to accommodate his fast growing business he built the two-story brick building they now occupy in 1875, where he enjoyed a large trade until his death some five years ago. Dr. E. E. Hazlett, a brother, then living in Philadelphia, came on and bought an interest in the store and took charge of the same. By strict attention to business, honest and square dealing and employing a competent corps of clerks they have done a large and constantly increasing business. John Bennett will still be found in the carpet and house furnishing department. John has many warm friends and is one of the most promising young business men in the city. With Tom Williams and Charles Landes in charge of the grocery department, Lem Miller the clothing, Major Wise the merchant tailor and J. F. Karper book-keeper, the different branches are in safe and obliging hands. Success to E. E. Hazlett—he is bound to achieve it.

ONEBRAKE'S OPERA HOUSE,
R. M. WHITE, Manager
Thursday, Oct. 29th.
MR. E. L. WALTON,
In the Fun Act Comedy Drama,
THE DIAMOND BROKER,
Supported by a First Class Com'y.
Under the management of
R. E. J. MILES, Manager.

Bijou Opera House, New York City.
Elegant Scenery—Brooklyn at Night.
The Suspension Bridge.
The Elevated Railroad.

New Songs,
New Music,
A Play of To-Day.

Tickets 75 cents. No extra charge for reserved seats at Northcrafts.

City Registration.

The following is the number of votes registered in each ward:
1st Ward.....252
2d ".....285
3d ".....269
4th ".....160
Total.....966

Tax payers of the county you know that M. V. Brillhart is elected Treasurer you will deal with him, you know that he is accommodating and competent, you are acquainted with him and he with you, you know that he is gentlemanly and treats all with consideration, the rich and the poor, the well dressed and the rougher clad are all treated alike. Then why not vote for him? Has he not been true to his country? When but a boy in years he donned the blue and fought for the old flag. Again we say, why not vote for him?

Building Loan Association Notice.

The Board of Directors of the above association have decided to issue no more stock from series A., and after Nov. 7th there will be no more stock from series B. This stock from B has now accumulated as profits about 25c on each share and parties buying it before Nov. 7th will get the benefit of these profits. \$2.55 pays for one share second series to Oct. 31st, 1885.

ABILENE MARKETS.

GRAIN
Wheat No. 2 (soft).....65/70
Wheat No. 2 (hard).....66/70
Wheat No. 3.....64/68
Wheat No. 4.....62/66
Rejected Wheat.....25/30
Corn.....18
Corn.....16
Rye.....25
Hogs per 100 lbs.....2.75/3.00
Steers per 100 lbs.....3.00/3.50
Cows per 100 lbs.....2.50/3.15
PRODUCE
Butter.....12
Eggs.....12
Chickens, per doz.....2.25
Flour, patent, per 100 lbs.....3.50
Flour, straight grade.....2.80
Potatoes......50
Turkeys, per lb......12
Chickens, per lb......10
Unbaled hay, per ton.....5.00

Teachers Examination at the Union School building in Abilene, on Saturday, October 31st, 1885, commencing at 9 o'clock, a. m.
D. D. HORNADAY,
Co. Supt. Pub. Inst'n.

Berry Bros. have a larger assortment of Heating and Cook Stoves than any house in the city.

NOTICE.

To the Voters of Cheever Township:
The election will be held in Oak-Creek school house, district 36.
M. BRYSON, Trustee.

LaMaster's New Hog Cholera Remedy.

Sure cure and preventive for Hog Cholera. Recommended by Jon Humbarger and other farmers of Dickinson county. Sold by
D. G. SMITH, Druggist,
Abilene, Kas.

Don't you forget that Mrs. Como keeps the largest, best and cheapest stock of Millinery Goods in the City.

Heating Stoves in endless varieties, at Berry Bros.

If you want a Heating Stove that will give you comfort through the winter, Berry Bros. can supply you.

Berry Bros. are the leaders in low prices for Heating and Cook Stoves.

CHEAP MONEY.

We now have money to loan on farm property at 6 Per Cent. Interest.

Don't fail to see us.

Lebold, Fisher & Co.

Call and see Berry Bros.' elegant line of heating stoves for hard or soft coal.

Mr. Ed. Veigiard has a tin shop at his residence on Sixth street, west of the M. E. Church. He is prepared to do job and contract work of anything in his line.

COAL! -:- COAL!!

Elk Mountain Anthracite Coal.

The best and cheapest hard coal in the market. Especially adapted for grate use, and stoves with open grates.
HOBBS, PARKER & CO.,
Exclusive Agents for Abilene.

MONEY! MONEY!

I have money to loan on Real Estate. Satisfaction guaranteed.
J. H. BRADY.

LAMPS! LAMPS!!

Northcraft's display of Lamps beats anything we have ever seen.

\$25,000 Worth of
-DRY GOODS-
TO BE SOLD WITHIN THE
NEXT 60 DAYS.

TO SHOW YOU THAT WE MEAN TO INAUGURATE THE MOST

STARTLING REDUCTION

IN PRICE OF DRY GOODS PLEASE NOTICE OUR PRICE.

- 1,000 yds. Good Fair Cotton Flannel at 6 1-4c.
- " " Extra Weight Flannel at 10c.
- 3,000 " Heavy Eine Yard Wide Muslin at 6c.
- 500 " Crash Towling at 5c.
- 2,000 " Dress Gingham, regular shilling goods, for 8c.
- " " Heavy Woolen Dress Goods at 12 1-2c, former price 20c.
- Look at our Colored Cashmere at 28 1-2c.
- Look at our Colored Cashmere at 37 1-2c.
- Look at our All Wool Ottoman Cloths.
- Look at our All Wool Tufted and Homespun Novelty Dress Goods, all got to be closed out at once.
- A Good Plain Red Flannel for 20c.
- A Good Scarlet Twilled Flannel for 25c.
- Another lot of All Wool Red Shirts and Drawers for an even 50c.

BLACK CASHMERE.

The heaviest best finish Black Cashmere at a reduction of 25 per cent. on former prices. We will give you an elegant Twill for 50c. Black Tricots, Black Cords, Black Serges—very desirable fabrics.

PLAID DRESS GOODS.

TRICOTS CLOTHS AND LADIES CLOTHS.

We have just made a straight reduction of twenty per cent. on these goods.

BROCADE SILK VELVETS.

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Our Stock in this line is simply immense and we have made eastern prices on them. * We will sell an Elegant Silk Brocade Velvet for \$1.50 per yard. No money in it for us. They have got to be sold.

Silk Finish Velveteens at about half price.

BLACK AND COLORED GROS GRAIN SILKS.

See our Black and Gros Grain for 75 cents and \$1.00, and you will conclude that prices elsewhere are all wrong. 600 Yards Colored Dress Silks at very near cost to close the entire lot.

See our Red All Wool Blankets at \$3.50 per pair.

See our Grey Blankets at any price you want.

Bed Comforts for 75 cents each.

CLOAKS! - CLOAKS!

We have already sold a large number of Cloaks but we still have 300 Garments left and being determined to effect a prompt reduction in stock we have made another frightful gash in prices. We quote!

Elegant PLUSH SACQUES at \$25.00, former price \$32.00.

Very fine at \$30.00, former price \$38.00; Extra Quality \$35.00, former price \$42.00; Next to best quality made at \$39.00, worth \$50.00 in any market; See our Ottoman Cord Newmarket Coats at \$4.50;

See our Diagonal Worsted Newmarket Coats at \$5.00; See our Fur Trimmed Worsteds at \$8.50; See our Berlin Twill Coats at \$8.50; See our Elegantly Trimmed Matteleesses

Newmarkets at \$10.00; See our Cicellen Silk Garment 54 inch long at \$18.;

See Cecillien Worsteds Cords at \$15.00; Childrens Cloaks at \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00.

Don't lay out a cent for Ladies, Misses or Childrens Cloaks or Shawls without knowing exactly what particular bargains we can and will give you. A Job Lot of last year's garments for exactly one half of actual cost.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

We are overstocked and need more room in this department, and we offer decided improvements in the Boot and Shoe line to reduce stock. See our Ladies Kid Shoe at \$2.00. Reynolds Bros. Fine Kid Shoe at

greatly reduced prices. New in conclusion we will state that we offer real bargains and no mistake, and that we mean every word we say; don't expect to make a dollar over expenses. My ambition is now simply and solely to move the piles of goods awful cheap and you will get them dead sure.

J. G. HAMAKER & CO.